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The sixth annual meeting of the American Economic Association was held at Chicago, September 12, 1893. Owing to the fact that the International Statistical Institute, on the joint invitation of the American Statistical Association and the American Economic Association, was to hold its meeting at the same place and time as had been previously planned for the meeting of the American Economic Association, September 11–15, it was decided to limit the sessions for the reading of the papers of the latter to one day, September 12.

The unfortunate absence of the President, Professor Charles F. Dunbar, on account of illness, necessitated the omission of the session set for the evening of September 11, which was to be devoted to his address. The address will be printed later in the publications of the Association.

The sessions of the next day were devoted to the reading of papers and discussions upon them, as given in abstract in the following pages.

Council Meetings.

Three sessions of the Council of the Association were held during the time of the annual meeting, Dr. Richard T. Ely, First Vice-President, presiding in the absence of the President. In addition to the regular routine business of the Association, the fol-

lowing actions were taken, which will be of general interest to members:

Ten gentlemen were added to the list of members of the Council, viz.: Mr. Horace White of New York, Dr. E. R. L. Gould of Johns Hopkins University, Dr. William Z. Ripley of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Professor H. H. Powers of Smith College, Professor A. C. Miller of the University of Chicago, Mr. N. O. Nelson of St. Louis, Professor David Kinley of the University of Illinois, Professor Charles H. Hull of Cornell University, Dr. Edward T. Devine of the University of Pennsylvania, and Dr. Emory R. Johnson of the University of Pennsylvania.

The Publication Committee was given power to have stereotype plates made of such publications of the Association as should seem to require preservation in that form.

It was ordered that hereafter the report of the proceedings of the annual meeting of the Association be not made one of the regular monographs, but that it be printed in the same style of page and type, in order that it might be bound with the monographs if desired.

It was ordered that hereafter the names of all Ex-Presidents of the Association be printed in connection with the list of officers.

It was ordered that the names of all members of branch associations over one year in arrears in their dues be dropped from the rolls.

The Publication Committee was authorized to make such reasonable outlay for plates, diagrams and tables as in their judgment are necessary in connection with the publications of the Association.

The sum of $600, or such larger sum as the Executive Committee might deem necessary, was appropriated to pay for clerical assistance to the Secretary and the Chairman of the Publication Committee.

The next annual meeting of the Association was fixed at Columbia College, New York, during the holiday season of 1894.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, J. B. Clark, Ph. D., of Amherst College; Vice-Presidents, Simon N. Patten, Ph. D., of the University of Pennsylvania; Richard T. Ely, Ph. D., LL. D., of the University of Wisconsin; Richmond Mayo-Smith, Ph. D., of Columbia College; Secretary, Jeremiah W. Jenks, Ph. D., of Cornell University; Treasurer, Frederick B. Hawley, A. M., of New York; Publication Committee: H. H. Powers, A. M., of Smith College, Chairman; H. C. Adams, Ph. D., of the University of Michigan; F. W. Taussig, Ph. D., of Harvard University; F. H. Giddings, A. M., of Bryn Mawr College; H. W. Farnam, A. M., of Yale University.

Treasurer's Report.

1892.		DR.		
Aug. 25,	To Cash on hand			$1,790.17
1893.				
Sept. 13,	" Amount received from subscribers			91.80
"	" " " " sale publications			847.45
"	" " 3 annual dues, 1889–90		$ 9.00	
"	" " 13 " " 1890–91		39.00	
"	" " 45 " " 1891–92		135.00	
"	" " 341 " " 1892–93		1,023.00	
"	" " 76 " " 1893–94		228.00	1,434.00
"	" " 2 " " S.W. Branch,			3.00
				$4,166.42

1893.	CR.		
Sept. 13,	By Publication expenses	$1,272.63	
"	" Expenses of Publication Committee,	6.84	
"	" Work and expenses in Secretary's Office	949.80	
"	" Expenses Treasurer's Office	101.18	
"	" Miscellaneous expenses	31.62	2,362.07
Sept. 13,	Cash on hand this date		$1,804.35

F. B. HAWLEY,
Treasurer.

Audited and found correct.

F. W. TAUSSIG,
HENRY W. FARNHAM,
Auditors.

SEPT. 13, 1893.